bring Egytian positive annals, derived from writings on existing monuments, the chronology of the Hebrew version of the Bible, is in the opinion of the learned altogether exploded."-Gliddon.

Among 36 Christian authorities that have computed the nativity of our Savior, the year itself is a disputed point and cannot be defined within 10 years. There are 19 dates for Solomon's temple, the longest B. C. 741the shortest 479-a difference of 262 years. Examples might be indefinitely multiplied, but enough have been adduced to show that the present chronology of the Bible, though sanctioned by an act of Parliament cannot "be followed with safety and confidence." So far as it is erroneous, it is the misjudgement of Usher, and has no connection whatever with the Divine origin of the Holy Book. These facts may be "hard sayings" to Mr. C. but if he requires more proof we are prepared to produce it, although it is not our intention to engage in a biblical discussion .-It may interest him to know that the painted portrait of Rhamses the III, the supposed Pharaoh of the Exodus-still exists. Having seen a fac simile of it taken from the Temple of Aboosimbel in Nubia, we can vouch for his having been an uncommonly hondsome man, possessing all the beauty of features of the beau-ideal of Grecian art .-This painting represents him as seated in his chariot, perhaps the very one in which he pursued the Israelites. He ascended the throne B. C. 1565 and reigned 66 years .-As Moses in his accounts of the overthrow of the Egyptian army, does not allude to the death of Pharaoh, and Egyptian History is silent upon it, we presume, this king quietly occupied the throne and died a natural death. Hundreds of his busts still exist.

If Mr. C. is still of the opinion that Egypt flourished as a kingdom but one century before the invasion of the Hykshos, and that the flood occurred but 254 years before that event, we ask him to account for the great Bedford 34 months; 800 sperm, 2600 whale, 15,000 population of Egypt, which long before the Hykshos, built Thebes, Memphis and other | 75 sp. 1600 whale, 4000 lbs. bone. great cities; the pyramids, on but one of which 100,000 laborers were employed at lbs. bone. once and the stones brought from a distance of 600 miles up the Nile. By no human 8000 lbs. bonc. means could the world have been so densely populated and such stupendous structures 28,000 lbs bone: Sharon, Smith, Fairhaven 40 mos.; erected in so short a peiod. In addition to this physical impossibility-if Usher is allowed to be good authority, Abraham died 35 years before Shem, was contemporary with Noah for half a century, and with Shem during his whole life. Isaac must have been born only 42 years after the death of Noah, and cotemporary with Shem 110 years. Now the Bible hints not at the slightest intercourse between the father of the faithful and the venerable anti-deluvians. Terah the father of Abraham, must have become an idolater under their very eyes despite the awful judgement which had just happened. Methuselah was alive in the year of the floodand if he did not die the self same year he is made to be drowned by an act of Parliament.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE POLYNESIAN :-

Sir, -In reading The Friend of Sept. 4th, filled with Mr. Wyllie's statistical remarks, my attention was particularly HUGHES, who will contest with said Grimes the called to the article about Moles; or Wharves. He says,--" there are two Moles, or Wharves, one erected by Mr. French and Mr. Charlton, the other, and the best, by Messrs. Ladd & Co.:"-making no mention fendant in and to the Nunanu property first above of Mr. Reynolds's wharf, or of Messrs. James Robinson & Co.'s. Now, Mr. Editor, it is well known by every person at all acquainted with Honolulu, that for situation, extent and convenience for shipping, J. Robinson known as the "World's end," secondly above des-& Co.'s wharf far excels any other in this

As Mr. Wyllie's report has gone forth publicly, it should be as publicly contradicted; you will please, therefore, to give insertion to this letter, in the next number of your valuable journal, and oblige.

Yours &c., A RESIDENT.

SQUALLY.—To see a young gentleman take a letter from the post-office from a female friend, with the word "single," written on one corner.

Imports.

Sept. 8 .-- TAHITI ;-- per L' Ernest--- 40 bags peas, 25 bags peaches, 25 boxes raisins, 5 bags walnuts; H. Skinner & Co. 8 half pipes wine, 3 pipes do., 4 puncheons lime juice, 80 cases sundry merchandise, to order. \$1000 in specie; French Consul .---4 boxes luggage, passenger.

Exports.

Sept. 6 .-- NEW ZEALAND; --- per Nimrod---6 casks arrow-root, 2 cases lucifers, 2824 bags salt, 1538 bags sugar, 2 bbls. wine.

Latest Dates.

From London, March 12-Paris, March 10-United States, (New Orleans) April 26, (Boston) April 10-(New-York) April 11- Mazatlan, May 30-Society Islands (Tahiti) Aug. 19. China, Jnc. 14.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE FOR THE PORT OF HONOLULU





ARRIVED.

8th inst .- Ship William Thompson, Ellis, New Bedford 22 months: 700 sperm, 2050 whale, 21,000 lbs. bone. Sch. L'Ernest, Carey, 22 days fm. Tahiti. 10th inst .- Brq. Philetus, Brewster, Stonington; 50 bbls. sperm, 2100 whale.

13th inst .--- Am. ship Congaree, Weston, 32 days from Kamschatka.

SAILED.

6th inst .- Brig Nimrod, Mulholland, for New Zealand. Fr. ship Espadon, Rateau; to cruise.

7th inst .- Am. whale-ship Corvo, Pendleton, for Stonington, U. S.

10th inst .- Am. whale-ship Flora, Allan, for New London, U. S. 12th inst .- Seb. Mary, Shannon, for Hilo; with

despatches for United States, England, France, &c. via Mexico--per H. B. M. ship Carysfort.

Erratum-In our last No. we erroneously reported the whale-ship Mary & Martha as having sailed on the 4th. She is now in port.

Information furnished by MILO CALKIN, Esq., U. S. Com. Agent at Lahaina.

PORT OF LAHAINA-MAUL

ARRIVED. 3d inst.-Am. whale-ship Kutuzoff, Cox, New

4th inst .- Com. Preble, Ludlow, Lynn 24 months;

5th inst .-- Am. whale-ship Electra, Ward, New London 14 months; 150 sperm, 2000 whale, 18,000

6th inst .- Am. whale-ship Florida, Cunningham, New Bedford 12 months; 60 sperm, 1050 whale,

7th inst .-- Am. whale-ships South Boston, Crowell. fairhaven 22 months; 200 sperm, 2800 whale, 900 sperm, 1100 whale, 10,000 lbs bone: Alert, Middleton, New London 14 months; 3070 whale, 30,000 lbs bone.

9th inst .- Am. whale-ships Cortes, Hammond, New Bedford 26 months; 1000 sperm: Heroine, West, Fairhaven 14 months; 40 sperm, 2650 whale, 26,000 lbs bone.

10th inst.—Am. whale-ships Ceres, Ayers, Wilmington 37 months; 400 sperm, 300 whale, 2000 ibs. bone: George & Susan, Howland, New Bedford 35 months; 1500 sperm.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sheriff's Sale on Foreclosure.

WHEREAS, by a decree of foreclosure made by His Excellency the Governor, dated 3d September, inst., I am commanded to expose to sale at public vendue, certain property of HENRY S. SWINTON, defendant, described in the writ as fol-

"A certain piece of land in Nuuanu valley, upon which the sole existing mortgage, held by the plaintiff, was this day foreclosed, subject to the rights of the original lessor, as will more particularly appear from the decree of foreclosure; and also all the right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to the property in Honolulu known as the World's End, which was also this day forcelosed, subject to the validity of a prior mortgage held thereon by HIRAM GRIMES, and to the claims of WILLIAM

original ownership of said World's End." Public Notice is therefore hereby given, that on Wednesday, the 3d day of October next, at 10 o clock, A. M., I will offer for sale to the highest bidder-first, all the right, title and interest, of said dedescribed, and in case the said property does not produce sufficient to satisfy the plaintiff's demand, being \$489,44, and costs of foreclosure and sale, together with my fees, then I will next offer for cribed-subject to the reservations of right main-

tained in said decree and above set forth. Sale to take place at Mess. PATY & CO's Auc-R. BOYD, High Sheriff. Honolulu, Oahu, September 9th, 1844. 3t

In Chancery-Order No. 6. FRANCIS J. GREENWAY and WM. FRENCH vs. their creditors.

URSUANT to the prayer of William Paty, Francis Johnson and William French, receivers appointed by Order No. 5, in this cause,

It is hereby ordered that said receivers shall have the following powers, without special application to

1st. To employ a clerk to keep the books &c., necessary in the management of the trust reposed in

them, whose salary shall not exceed five hundred erty assigned in trust to this court by the said Wildollars per annum, besides the expense of his board. 2d. To choose for themselves a chairman out of their number.

3d. To dispose to the best advantage of any property of said estate, not exceeding at any time in value \$300, when two of them shall be of opinion that such sale will be advantageous to said estate.

4th. It shall be their duty to keep a faithful record of all their transactions as receivers, and make report of the same to this court, on the day of the final decree, or sooner if required.

5th. William Paty, one of said receivers, is appointed hereby, to be their treasurer of all monies received by them for property of said estate sold, until it shall amount in his hands to one thousand dollars, when the same shall be paid over by him to

6th. In all cases where the sales intended by them shall be likely to exceed \$300, they are required to obtain special permission of this court be-

fore said sales shall be considered valid. 7th The said receivers are hereby ordered to take possession of all the property of said estate, belonging now to this court, whether real or personal; all rents, issues, and profits thereof, and all moveable effects; make a schedule, and file the same with this court for its information, and the better to enable this court to guide their operations in disposing of said property, from time to time.

Done at Honolulu, this, 11th day of September, 1844. M. KEKUANAOA.

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Ma ka Hooponopono Kanawai-OLELO HELU 6.

FRANCIS JOHN GREENWAY a me WILLIAM FRENCH, kue i ko laua mea i aie aku ai.

E LIKE me ke noi ana mai o William Paty a me Francis Johnson, a o William French, ka poe malama waiwai, i kohoia ma ka olelo helu 5 o keia hana. Nolaila; ua holo keia olelo e hiki ai i na poe la nana e malama i ka waiwai, ke hana i keia mau hana me ke noi ole mai i ka ahahookolokolo

1. E hoolimalima i kakauolelo, e kakau i ka buke a me na olelo e ai, i kupono i ka oihana, i haawiia ia lakou, aole nac e oi aku kona uku i na haneri dala elima o ka makahiki, a me ko ka ai.

2. E koho i Luna noloko o lakou. E kuai makepono i ka waiwai a pau, aole nac e oi aku kekahi kuai ana, i na dala 300, aia i ka manao like ana o na mea elua o lakou, ua kupono ke kuai ana, e pono ai ka waiwai.

4. E kakau pono lakou i ka lakou hana a pau loa no ka malama waiwai ana, a e hoike mai i keia ahahookolokolo ma ka la e hooponopono nui ai, a mamua mai paha. 5. E lilo o William Paty i kahu malama dala no

na mea malama waiwai, ia ia na dala a pauloa i loaa ia lakou a hiki i ke tausani hookahi, alaila, uku mai oia i keia ahahookolokolo.

6. Ina i manao lakou e kuai i ka mea, e oi ana i na dala 300, alaila o ka ai mua ana o keia ahahookolokolo ka mea e hiki ai ua kuai ana la.

7. Ke olelo aku nei keia, i na mea malam wai e ku koke aku i ua waiwai la ua lilo mai i keia ahahookolokolo i keia wa, ina he waiwai pau, ina he waiwai pili i ke kino, i na hoolimalima, i na loaa mai a me na puka a pau loa, a me na waiwai lewa. E kakau pono i keia mau mea, a e waiho mai iloko o kcia ahahookolokolo e maopopo ai, i hiki pono ai hoi i keia ahahookolokolo ke hana a me ke kuai aku ua waiwai la i kela wa a i keia wa.

Hooholoia ma Honolulu, i keia la. 11 o Sepatemaba, 1844. M. KEKUANAOA.

In Chancery .- ORDER No. 5.

Before the GOVERNOR OF THE ISLAND OF OAHU acting as Chancellor in and for said Island. WM. FRENCH and FRANCIS J. GREENWAY

embarrassed debtors vs. their creditors. HE above named William French an American citizen, sole responsible partner of the late firm of Francis John Greenway, acting in conjunction with William Miller, Esquire, H. B. M. Consul General, committee of Francis John Greenway a British subject, pronounced insane by a jury of enquiry on the 9th day of May last, having applied to me the undersigned Chancellor for relief in his pecuniary embarrassments, and having on the 3d day of this present month made a full, free and unreserved assignment to this court of chancery for the benefit equally of all his creditors and of all the creditors of Francis John Greenway jointly with and severally from him, and having prayed the court to assume his and his said partner's debts to the full extent of all his joint and several property, and discharge them forever therefrom.

It is hereby ordered that this court, considering the said assignment to be bona fide and full; and considering the eqitable relief which in all countries is extended under such circumstances to embarrassed or insolvent debts, do hereby assume the payment of the just debts of said French and Greenway both joint and several, to the full extent of all their property; and do hereby decree the said debts, in contemplation of law, fully and forever discharged, and they the said French and Greenway no longer liable to any of their creditors for their debts contracted anterior to the date of this discharge, hereby declaring that the courts of this nation will not assume jurisdiction thereof against them or either of them. And all persons are enjoined from interfering in any way with assets of said estate now assigned to this

And it further appearing from the petition of said William French, that he and his said partner are dependent upon this court for the means of subsistance during the time allowed for the liquidation of their said affairs, and that they pray for a suitable illowance for their support.

It is ordered that the sum of One thousand five handred dollars per annum be and the same is hereby set apart for the maintainance of said William French out of the assets assigned by him to this court to be paid to him quart er ly, from the date of this decree in advance upon his order in writing drawn upon the Governor of Oahu; and further that the yearly sum of five hundred dollars be and the same is hereby in like manner set apart for the maintainance of the said Francis John Greenway insane, payable to the written order of his committee, William Miller, Esquire, H. B. M. Consul General or to his substitute for the time being.

And because in the equitable discretion of this most reasonable terms :-court it is necessary that receivers one or more be appointed to take charge of, receive, and, with the specific order of this court from time to time, to dispose of, to the hest advantage, any and all the prop-

liam French as aforesaid.

It is hereby further ordered that William Paty an Hawaiian subject, & Francis Johnson and William French, American citizens all of Honolulu be and they are hereby jointly appointed such receivers, amenable, removable, and at all times controlable by this court, and that they shall each receive a just and reasonable compensation, in the discretion of the court for their services as such, on the day of passing the final decree for the payment of the debts of said estate.

And because it is necessary that the court do appoint some trusty agent to sue for and collect the debts due to said estate, and to be sued by the creditors thereof within the time allowed by this decree.

It is hereby forther ordered that John Ricord, Esquire, His Hawaiian Majesty's Attorney General, be and he is hereby appointed such agent of this court for all the purposes last aforesaid, fully authorising and empowering him, to appear in any court in His Majesty's Dominions, and there prosecute all actions brought by him in favor of said estate, and to defend all suits brought by any person or persons against him on account of said estate, and that this court will assume the payment of all sums recovered against him as agent as aforesaid, wholly or pro rata, on the day of the final decree in this cause to the extent of the assets of said estate.

And it is also ordered that said agent do cause public notice to be given of this his appointment in some public newspaper in the Hawaiian, French and English languages, as well as a notice to all credit-ors or claimants of said estate to present their demands on said estate against him, and if need be to prosecute him for the recovery of the same, within six calander months from the date of the first publication of said notice or that in default thereof they be forever barred.

Done at Honolulu, this 4th day of September, 1844. M. KEKUANAOA.

RICHARD FORD,

CONVEYANCER and ATTORNEY IN HIS MAJESTY'S COURTS OF LAW. (s14 tf)

ALBERT E. WILSON,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, ASTORIA,

> MOUTH OF COLUMBIA RIVER, OREGON.

Offers his services for the sale of Merchandize, and purchase of the Produce of the country. Refer to-Messrs. C. BREWER & Co.

(ag31 tf)

For Sale.

BBLS. Tar, 1500 feet Oars, Solar Lamp 7 hanging Lamps, 4 Astral do., 5 doz. Ink Stands, 5 doz. cane Chairs, 1-2 doz. do. rocking do. Sept. 7. E & H GRIMES

Per brig Delaware.

JUST received, per brig Delaware, from Valparaiso, T. red and fancy Prints, Saddles, boiled Linseed Oil, in zinc jars, Scoth Plaid Hdkfs., 72 doz. Ale,-for sale by E. & H. GRIMES. Sept. 7.

Dissolution of Copartnership. THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of VINCENT & WILEY, is, by mutual consent, this day dissolved. The business of the late firm will be settled by either of the sub-C. W. VINCENT, JOHN WILEY.

TC. W. VINCENT will continue the CAR-PENTER'S business, in all its branches, at the old stand of Vincent & Wiley, and solicits a continuance of the patronage of his friends and the public generally. Aug. 22.

Notice

S hereby given to all persons wanting employ-ment, that the Treasury Board will negotiate for gathering Salt at the Lake in Moanalua, on Shares. The Lake is now full of salt, and it is only to be gathered and taken to the beach. Apply to JNO. R. VON PRISTER.

Treasury Office, Aug. 29, 1844.

For Sale.

C EORGE PELLY & GEORGE T. ALLAN have received per the barque "Brothers," just arrived from the Columbia River, and offer for sale,-107,000 feet of superior Lumber, of different dimensions, from 1 inch to 5 inches, and assorted lengths, from 9 feet 1030 feet; 300 bbls. super extra Flour-just ground; 300 do, of the highly prized Columbia River Salmon; 10 rolls Sh't Lead, (a31)

For Beston.

THE coppered and copper-fastened Brig-GLOBE, J. DOANE, will load for the above port. She is well calculated for carrying Oil. For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply to the master, on board, or to Aug. 10. LADD & CO.

Notice.

LL PERSONS are hereby cautioned against trusting any of the crew of the British ship Wm. Ackers, as no debts of their contracting will be paid by the master or consignees. Honolulu, Aug. 12, 1844.

For Sale,

THE HOUSE and premises owned and for-For further particulars, enquire of Aug. 10. EDWARD C. WEBSTER.

Columbia River Salmon, Flour, &c. UST RECEIVED by E. & H. GRIMES, and now landing from brig "Chenamus," the following articles, which are offered for sale on the

183 bbls. Columbia River Salmon; 11 bbls. new Flour: 56 M. Shingles: 8000 M. N. W. Pine; 2 bbls. Peas: 1 bbl. H. Nuts; 1 bbl. Butter